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## IN THE ABSTRACT:

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ABSTRACT

The invention concerns a heat transfer device comprising an insulating module (12) designed to be inserted between a first wall (14) and a second wall (16) to define a closed loop wherein flows a heating medium (FC) which comprises a first channel (28) extending substantially vertically along the first wall (14) and a second channel (30) extending substantially vertically along the second wall (16), the first channel and the second channel being mutually offset in the vertical direction to define a low channel and a high channel, as well as an upper channel (32) and a lower channel (34) linking the first channel and the second channel, such that heating medium (FC) flows freely or is blocked naturally in the loop when on the basis of the respective temperatures of the high channel and the low channel. The invention is particularly useful for heating or cooling buildings.